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IN THE ABSTRACT:

Please amend the abstract as follows:

Abstract of the Disclosure

A fruit/vegetable slicer for slicing the food stuff, ~~wherein it comprises[[:]]~~ a stand coupled with ~~suitable to be installed at the bottom to support the upper composite parts, comprising a~~ rotational crank, a movable blade frame and a housing, wherein a food stuff pressing plate is inserted in a through hole of the housing. In order to slice the fruits and vegetables, ~~firstly the food stuff pressing plate is taken out and~~ the food stuff is put into the housing through the through hole, ~~the food stuff is~~ and constantly being pressed down, and the rotational crank is continually being rotated, when the rotational crank rotates ~~clockwise~~, the movable blade frame reciprocatingly moves laterally such that the food ~~being pressed~~ stuff is sliced. The fruit/vegetable slicer can be operated very easily; and the pressed food stuff can be sliced by merely rotating the rotational crank ~~clockwise~~ and slightly pressing the food stuff pressing plate. ~~Thus the fruits and vegetables can be sliced steadily, swiftly and conveniently, without the user's being in immediate contact with the blade or causing any unnecessary danger.~~